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THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, $1¼ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜
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LANGLEY STREET,
LATE BAILEY'S, LATE EBERHARDT'S
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
☞ A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

St. Nicholas Hotel,
GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS NOW OPEN for the Reception of Guests and is recommended to the Travelling Public as a
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The Rooms have all been
REFURNISHED,
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APARTMENTS will be let by the DAY, WEEK OR MONTH, at a great Reduction from former Rates, and Travellers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking accommodation elsewhere.
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Orders left at Isaac Johnson's in Trounce Alley will be promptly attended to.
Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victoria Brewery. ap12

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TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

N. C. BAILEY IS PREPARED TO SUPply the best Lime for Building purposes.
ALSO,
The best Lime for FINISHING purposes.
Apply to J. E. B. ENGLEHART,
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IN RECOMMENDING MY COFFEE TO THE public, I beg to state that what has been known for the last 8 years as Foll & Co's Best Coffee was entirely prepared by me, so that from my experience in that branch I can supply an article not to be surpassed on the Pacific Coast.
My arrangements will be finished in a few days, when orders from Town or Country will be promptly filled.
no26 J. FINLAYSON.

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London Journal—Every month—Copyright Colored Fashion-plate, designed expressly by renowned Continential Astists.
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London Journal may be had of all Booksellers in the Colonies at a slight advance on the London publishing price.
London Journal—Parts and Volumes are always in print.
London Journal Office, 332, Strand London.
London Journal—The Proprietor begs his Colonial readers to obtain his Journal through the Local Agents.

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J. W. McKAY,
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THE STEAMER
MAUDE,
CAPTAIN.....HOLMES
Will sail from H. B. Co's wharf every SATURDAY MORNING at 7 o'clock for the above ports.
Returning:—Will sail from Nanaimo at 7 o'clock every Tuesday morning.
☞ Carrying Freight and Passengers. ☜
For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board
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STEAM PACKET CO'Y
Moorgate Street, London.

THE AGENTS ARE PREPARED TO RECeive and forward packages and merchandise to Southampton and London at "THROUGH" freights, which include all transhipping charges at San Francisco and Panama.
For further particulars apply to
SPROAT & CO.,
Agents for British Columbia.
WHARF STREET,
19th November, 1872. no20

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

STEAMSHIP
Prince Alfred,
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Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on the 12th and 27th of each month
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FAMILY
BUTCHER,
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Meats and Vegetables,
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THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.
☞ Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW. ☜
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HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
FURS, HIDES,
WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
AND CALFSKINS.
te29 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf street

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
jy30 LD. LOWENBERG

JAMES HOGG,

FORMERLY OF SCOTLAND AND MORE recently from Canada, will hear of something much to his advantage by applying at this office.
Any person who can send us any information respecting Mr. Hogg is earnestly requested to do so, as the object of the present notice is of great importance to him, Mr Hogg, we believe, has been in Cariboo.
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Ex Naworth.
BOORD'S OLD TOM.
RED CASE GIN, I.D.K.Z.
For sale by
SPROAT & CO.
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HENRY SHORT,
GUN AND RIFLE MAKER,

HAS RECEIVED PER EXPRESS FROM London,
Double and Single Barreled Fowling Pieces;
Breech and Muzzleloading Rifles;
Henry's Rifles;
Colt's, Smith & Wesson's, Sharp's Repeator, Ballard's Derringer and other Pistols always on hand.
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METALLIC CARTRIDGES for Henry's, Smith & Wesson's, Ballard's, Spencer's and other Rifles.
Fishing Tackle.
Sporting and Pocket Cutlery, from the best makers.
se23 GOVERNMENT STREET NEAR PANDORA.

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L. P. FISHER,
ADVERTISING AGENT,
Rooms 20 & 21 Merchant's Exchange,
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Advertising,
Has created many a new business;
Has enlarged many an old business;
Has revived many a dull business;
Has rescued many a lost business;
Has saved many a failing business;
Has preserved many a large business;
And insures success in any business.

Advertise your Business.
Keep your Name before the Public.
Judicious Advertising will Insure a Fortune.
If Business is Dull, Advertise.
If Business is Brisk, Advertise. au16

Mutual Life Insurance Company,
OF NEW YORK.

MR. H. F. HEISTERMAN HAS BEEN AUthorized to take charge of the business of the above Company in British Columbia.
no1 DUDLEY EVANS, Agent.

George's Market,
JOHNSON STREET, next Blum's Dry Goods Store.
DEALER IN
VENISON AND ALL KINDS OF GAME
In Season.
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New Advertisements.

THE HUDSON BAY COMPANY
Offer for Sale, in Bond or Duty Paid,
AT VICTORIA, V. I.,
A Large Assortment of
DRY GOODS, AND CLOTHING,
GROCERIES,
WINES, SPIRITS, &C., &C.,
Ex Princess Royal
AND OTHER RECENT ARRIVALS
FROM LONDON AND ELSEWHERE.
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Dentistry.

MILLS BOWDEN,
DENTIST,
MAY BE FOUND OVER H. F. HEISTERman's, Langley street, from 9:30 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Back entrance on Government st. de17

C. Francis Barnard, M. D.
SURGEON DENTIST.

DR. BARNARD HAS HAD FOR several months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Whalebone-Rubber," which rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial set the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.
We cheerfully add Dr. B's card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other Dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island.
Dr. B's large experience may be readily seen in the happy and natural expression given his patrons by his life-like insertion of artificial Teeth.
The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in adopting helps and in touching his own interest and that of his patrons.
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store. Business hours from 8 a.m till 5 p.m.
Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 daw is

HOLLOWAY'S
PILLS AND OINTMENT
Every Man his own Physician.

CAUTION.

THE immense demand for HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OINTMENT has tempted unprincipled parties to counterfeit these valuable medicines.
In order to protect the public and ourselves, we have issued a new "Trade Mark," consisting of an Egyptian circle of a serpent, with the letter H in the centre. Every box of genuine HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OINTMENT will have this trade mark on it; none are genuine without it.
N. Y. CHEMICAL Co., Sole Proprietors,
78 Maiden Lane, New York.

THOS. HODGES,
Baker and Grocer,
Corner of Douglas and Pandora streets.
BREAD AND GROCERIES DELIVERED by my Cart to any part of the City Free of Charge.
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W. D. Patterson,
LAND SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER.
OFFICE—Corner of Broughton and Government s

A. RICKMAN,
FAMILY GROCER,
Cor. Government and Fort Streets,
FRESH SUPPLIES RECEIVED BY EVERY steamer. se7

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
CELEBRATED OILMEN'S STORES,
ALL OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.

PICKLES, SAUCES, SYRUPS.
JAMS, IN TINS AND JARS.
ORANGE MARMALADE.
TART FRUITS, DESSERT FRUITS.
PONSONS, LISBON APRICOTS AND PEACHES.
MUSTARD, VINEGAR.
FRUITS IN BRANDY AND NOYEAU.
POTTED MEATS AND FISH.
FRESH SALMON, OYSTERS AND HERRINGS.
KIPPERED SALMON AND HERRINGS.
HERRINGS A LA SARDINE.
PICKLED SALMON.
YARMOUTH BLOATERS.
BLACKWALL WHITEBAIT.
FRESH AND FINDON HADDOCKS.
PURE SALAD OIL.
SOUPS, IN PINT AND QUART TINS.
PRESERVED MEATS, IN TINS.
PEAS, CARROTS, BEANS, AND OTHER VEGETABLES.
PRESERVED HAMS AND CHEESE.
PRESERVED BACON.
OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE SAUSAGES.
BOLOGNA SAUSAGES.
YORKSHIRE GAME PATES.
YORKSHIRE PORK PATES.
TONGUES, GAME, POULTRY.
PLUM PUDDINGS.
LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

Fresh supplies of the above and numerous other table delicacies may always be had from every Storekeeper

CAUTION.

To prevent the fraud of refilling the bottles or jars with native productions, they should invariably be destroyed when empty.
Goods should always be examined upon delivery, to detect any attempt at substitution of articles of inferior brands.
Every cork is branded with Crosse & Blackwell's name
CROSSE & BLACKWELL,
PURVEYORS TO THE QUEEN,
Soho Square, London,
At the Paris Exhibition of 1867, THREE Prize Medals were awarded to Crosse & Blackwell, for the marked superiority of their productions.

LEA & PERRINS'
CELEBRATED
Worcestershire Sauce.
DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS
TO BE
THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE.
CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.

The success of this most delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE
and to see that their names are upon the wrapper, label stopper and bottle.
Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the name of Lea & Perrins have been forged. L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.
Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce, and see Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle and Stopper.

Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse & Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.
To be obtained of Messrs Janion, Rhodes & Co.
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New Custom House Blanks
FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY
At the
COLONIST OFFICE.

Notices.

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 2d Aug., 1872.
Extract from Rules relative to Private Bills.

50. All applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of "The British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferr; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the right or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act, — shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows, viz:—
A notice inserted in the British Columbia Gazette, and in one newspaper published in the district affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.
☞ Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the petition. ☜
51. Before any Petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed in the preceding Rule, also at the same time, and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts or vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.
CHARLES GOOD,
se4dw Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

MAIL CONTRACTS

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE POSTmaster General, Victoria, and marked "Tender for Mail Service," will be received at Victoria up to 12 o'clock noon on **FRIDAY the 6th day of December,** for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails in British Columbia between the following places for the Term of **FOUR YEARS from the 1st of April next:**

BARKERVILLE AND HARVEY CREEK;
BARKERVILLE AND YALE;
BURRARD INLET AND NEW WESTMINSTER
CACHE CREEK AND OKANAGAN; and
OKANAGAN AND OKANAGAN MISSION;
CLINTON AND DOG CREEK;
CLINTON AND LILLOOET
ESQUIMALT AND VICTORIA;
HOPE AND KOOTENAY;
LYTTON AND NICOLA LAKE;
METCHOSEN AND VICTORIA
OMINECA AND QUESNELLE;
SAANICH AND VICTORIA;
SOOKE AND VICTORIA;

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Guarantee signed by two responsible parties, undertaking that in the event of the Tender being accepted the service shall be performed by the party tendering for the price demanded.
Particulars in regard to the Service and amount of security required, together with printed forms of Tender and Guarantee, may be obtained at the Offices at the termini of each Route, or at the Post Offices at Victoria and New Westminster.
JOHN DEWE,
Chief P. O. Inspector.
VICTORIA, B. C., 1st September, 1872. se7 dwtd

DOMINION GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT under authority of Act 34 Vict., chap 6, of the Parliament of Canada, Dominion Government Savings Banks will be opened on the 2nd December next at the undermentioned places in the Province of British Columbia and in charge of the following officers;

JOHN GRAHAM, Esq., Assistant Receiver General, Manager at Head Office, Victoria;
F. G. CLAUDET, Esq., Acting Agent of Branch at New Westminster.
JAS. HARVEY, Esq., Acting Agent of Branch at Nanaimo

Until further notice Deposits will be received at the abovementioned Savings Banks in sums of not less than One Dollar and multiples of a dollar. All Deposits will bear interest from date of deposit to date of withdrawal at the rate of Five per cent. per annum, the interest accrued to 30th June being added to principal on that date every year.
Moneys can be withdrawn, without notice, to the extent of $100, but for any sum in excess of that amount seven days' notice must be given by Depositors.
As all Savings Banks established under the Colonial ordinances will be closed on the 30th November next, it has been arranged that the cheques of the Provincial Treasurer in liquidation of Colonial Savings Bank liabilities shall be received in the Dominion Savings Banks and bear interest from that date if deposited before the 1st January next. By order,
THOMAS D. TIMS,
Financial Inspector.
FINANCE DEPART'T OF CANADA,
Victoria, 15th October, 1872. oc19 thirty 7

"The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages' Act, 1872."
NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that from and after the First day of September next, all Births, Deaths and Marriages within the Province of British Columbia are to be Registered under the Provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872," at the office of the District Registrar of the district wherein the same respectively shall take place, and within the times following, that is to say;
BIRTHS—Within 60 days from the date thereof.
DEATHS—Within 30 days after interment.
MARRIAGES—Within 90 days from the date thereof.
Every Householder, Head of a Family, Clergyman, Physician, or other person or persons, required by the said Act to report Births, Deaths and Marriages, who refuses, or wilfully neglects to do so within the times named, will be liable to a penalty for each and every offence of not less than Five Dollars or more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered with costs before any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the locality where any such offence is committed against the said Act. By Command,
H. B. W. AIKMAN,
LAND REGISTRY OFFICE, Registrar General.
27th Aug, 1872. au28

Notice.
SWANSON, Deceased.

THE EXECUTORS, MESSRS. W. A. ELLIOTT, and J. Judson Young, request that all claims against the estate may be delivered, and all debts due to the estate may be paid, to the undersigned.
The commodious residence lately occupied by Capt. Swanson is to let. For particulars apply to
J. ROLAND HETT,
no12 Solicitor, Bastion street.

NOTICE.

A JUDGMENT AGAINST JOHN RICHARD GISCOME in favor of Burton Isom, for $35 and costs, has been registered in the Land Registry Office as a charge upon the real estate of John Richard Giscome.
J. ROLAND HETT,
no17 Solicitor, Bastion street.

Boots and Shoes.

VICTORIA
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY
GOVERNMENT STREET, next to the Postoffice.
W. HEATHORN,

NOT BEING AN EXHIBITOR AT THE late Fair (from press of business), but feeling perfectly safe in the hands of a discriminating public, who have adjudged his manufactures First Prize, returns thanks for the liberal encouragement he has received and would inform his customers that he is constantly improving in the Style and Quality of his manufactures, having just received from England one of **Pearson's Celebrated Lock Stitch Wax Thread Sewing Machines,** being the only one in the Province.
☞ Boots and Shoes made to measure. Leather and Findings for Sale. oc13

SWITZER & CO.,
Tanners and Curriers,
MANUFACTURERS OF
BOOTS, SHOES AND MILL BELTING.
BELMONT, Esquimalt District.
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.—Agents at Victoria

WE HAVE COMMISSIONED MESSRS WM DALBY & CO. to purchase Hides and Skins on our account.
au10 1m SWITZER & CO,

R. MAYNARD,
Occidental Buildings, Fort Street.
Just Received Per PACIFIC,
SHOE LEATHER & FINDINGS
IN GREAT VARIETY,
Uppers of every Description and Quality
READY FOR BOTTOMING.
BOOTS & SHOES MADE TO ORDER.
☞ Cash Paid for Hides. jy30

EX PRINCESS ROYAL.

Confectionery—In ½ and ¼ lb. bottles and 7 lb tins,
Lozenges and Drops of different kinds
Comfits, Sugar Almonds,
Barley Sugar, Mixed Confectionery,
Jujubes, Gum Pastilles,
Licorice, Motto Nuts,
Motto Drops, Bon Bons,
Cassques, Magic Flowers, &c.,
Candied Peel in bottles and 7-lb tins,
Nuts—Almonds and Barcelona,
Perfumes and Pomades—Assorted,
Paper Bags—For Confectioners' and Grocers' use.
FOR SALE BY
RICHARD CARR,
no28 Wharf Street.

NEW SEASONS FRUITS
And other Goods
Specially Selected for the Undersigned,
EX "PRINCESS ROYAL,"
FROM LONDON.
CONSISTING OF—
Layer Muscatel Raisins—¼ and ¼ bxs,
Zante Currants—In 14-lb tins,
Elemo Figs—In ¼ and ½ boxes,
Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles,
Crosse & Blackwell's Vinegar,
Colman's D. S. F. Mustard,
Lea & Perrins Worster Sauce,
Robinson's Oatmeal—In 25 lb tins,
Knight & Son's London Soap,
Price's Belmont Candles, &c., &c.
FOR SALE BY
THOMAS HODGES,
BAKER & GROCER,
Douglas Street, Victoria.
no23

Field's Oysters.

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING ONE AND TWO lb cans of the above well known brand of oysters.
THIS YEAR'S PACKING,
Which we now offer to the trade
IN LOTS TO SUIT
LOUPE & HAAS,
Importers and Wholesale Grocers,
216 California street.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 3, 1872. oc11 1m

Sandwich Islands Sugar,
EX DELAWARE.
NOS 1 & 2 S.I. SUGAR—
For sale by
A. RICKMAN,
no21 Corner of Government and Fort

DINNEFORD'S
SOLUTION OF
MAGNESIA
DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA
Is the great remedy for
Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Fructations and Bilious Affections;
IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLAINTS OF THE BLADDER.
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of Pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.
Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.
N. B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA, and use DINNEFORD'S Friction Gloves and Belts.

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SUNDAY MORNING, DEC. 1st, 1872.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Driving Away Population.

In proposing the toast of the Legislative Assembly, at the St. Andrew's Dinner, on Friday evening, Mr. Robert Wallace, ex-M. P. for Vancouver District, took occasion to refer to the leading article which appeared in this journal on that day, depicting an imaginary scene in the Land Office. Mr. Wallace endorsed the article as a true picture, not in the least overdrawn; and he went on to mention instances in which he had been instrumental in bringing valuable settlers from Old Canada, but only to be repulsed in the manner alluded to in the article. Whatever difference of opinion may exist as to the fitness of the occasion chosen by Mr. Wallace, there can be no question whatever about the truthfulness of his remarks. It may possibly have been thought by some that a desire to present the Government in an unfavorable light before the country had led us to draw somewhat upon our imagination and make matters appear worse than they really were. Such, however, was not the case. However much we may disapprove of the present set of Ministers, as Ministers, we trust that a regard for truth and justice and a sense of what is due to our profession will ever restrain us within the bounds of assured fact in criticizing any department or branch of the public service. It would, indeed, be a fortunate circumstance for the country if Mr. Wallace were the only man who could, from a personal knowledge of events, endorse what we have said respecting the administration of what must be regarded as at once the most expensive and the most useless department of the Government. There is scarcely a day that we do not come in contact with those who bear a similar testimony. Nor should it be supposed that the Lands and Works Department is singular in so far as misadministration is concerned. Unhappily there is no reason whatever to hope that the other departments are one whit better administered; and if they seem to have escaped criticism, that circumstance must be attributed to the difference in the nature and duties of the departments, as affording the journalist data for observation. Neither would we be understood as holding the gentleman at the head of the Lands and Works Department personally responsible for the highly objectionable and eminently mischievous policy pursued therein. Indeed, if one might be permitted to judge from the views expressed by that gentleman in former years, it might well be supposed that, if left to himself, a more liberal spirit would pervade the department. But it is the veriest nonsense to assert, as some do, that it is unfair to hold the present Ministry, as a whole, responsible for the manner in which that department, in common with others, is managed. What is the meaning of the words "Responsible Government," if the Ministry are not to be held responsible for the administration of every department? The manner of conducting that department more immediately under consideration had formed the subject of very general complaint for long years prior to the inauguration of Responsible Government; and the people were justified in expecting that one of the very first acts of the new Government would have been a complete reconstruction with a view to adapting the working of the department to the wants, and reducing its expense to the exigencies, of the country. But the fact of a whole year being allowed to pass without any perceptible improvement either in respect of efficiency or economy renders it quite out of the question for the Governmhnt to expect to escape responsibility and public censure. Nay, not only have the people an undoubted right to blame the Government for permitting the old condition of things to continue and even grow worse in their hands, but they would be quite justified in assuming that the Ministry have sanctioned and adopted as a part of their policy the system still carried out in that department. It is simply impossible under our present form of administration to shield the Ministry from blame; and those who attempt to do so only expose their own ignorance of responsible institutions. It is with regret that we have so frequently to revert to this subject; but when one sees the ruinous results of a suicidal system staring one in the face constantly it is impossible to remain silent.

Insulting the Peoples' Representatives.

The "Government Guardian," the sole organ of the present Ministry, has an article upon finance, obviously designed to prepare the public mind for fresh taxation. Dealing with the necessity for revenue and the potency of a full exchequer, it proceeds to remark:

"But with our system of paid representatives, it has a more direct influence and partakes of the relation of employer and employed, hence, members would be very reluctant to spend their time in deliberations for which they were not likely to receive the understood recompense."

The above cannot be regarded in any other light than that of a wanton insult offered to the peoples' representatives. In the first place the "system of paid representatives" has no existence in this Province, save, perhaps, in the empty caverns of our contemporary's cranium. In the second place, members were not "reluctant to spend their time in deliberations" during the six days in April last, when they knew perfectly well that they could expect no "recompense" save that which comes from a consciousness of having done one's duty. The reader will understand that the indemnity to members is restricted to fifty days, and that the last session extended six days over the fifty. Although the season was far advanced and members from a distance remained here at no little personal loss and inconvenience, yet every member remained at his post to the last; and no one can truly say that the peoples' representatives were any less painstaking during the six days than during the fifty. The remarks of our contemporary are, therefore, most uncalled-for and unjust to members.

New Advertisements.

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THE MILLSTREAM FARM 4 1-2 MILES from Victoria, on the Saanich Road, comprising 200 Acres of good Land under Fence, 50 of which is under cultivation, and Capacious Dwelling House and Farm Buildings. Apply to T. ALLSOP & CO.
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XMAS, 1872.

FRUITS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Henry Saunders,

FAMILY GROCER, WINE & SPIRIT DEALER,

Cor. Johnson & Oriental Sts.

HAS RECEIVED BY LATE ARRIVALS a large and well selected stock of

Malaga, Eleme and Sultana Raisins, Zante Currants, Candied Peels, Figs, Nuts, and the usual line of Groceries.

He has also on hand a gne assortment of

WINES, LIQUORS, ALE & PORTER,

Which he will sell by the Bottle, Case or Gallon at MODERATE RATES.

All Goods delivered Free of Carriage in the City and Suburbs.

HENRY SAUNDERS,
de1 Johnson Street.

Plummer & Pagden,

AUCTIONEERS,

APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,

Wharf Street, Victoria.

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and ay promptness and attention they hope to secure b share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments.

Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. jy4

AUCTION

SALE OF

Furniture, Groceries Wines, Spirits, &c.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN

WILL SELL

At Salesroom, Wharf Street,

Thursday, Dec'r. 5th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,

COUNTER, SHOW CASES,
EASTERN CHEESE,
LEAF LARD,
CURRANTS,
BOTTLED ALE,
PORT WINE.

ALSO—Removed to Store for convenience of sale,

The Personal Effects of the late George Hemmingway.

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J. C. TRACY,

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CONSIGNMENTS OF FRUIT, FLOUR AND Butter received by every steamer.

Salesroom, St. Nicholas Building, Government St.

Regular Sales every Wednesday at 10½ o'clock. Consignments solicited, Prompt Returns and Moderate Charges guaranteed.

Sales attended in any part of the city or vicinity.

Best city references given.

AUCTION.

J. C. Tracy,

WILL SELL

Wednesday, Dec. 4th, 1872,

AT 10 1-2 O'CLOCK A.M.

A miscellaneous assortment of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Consignors please send in goods early.
de1

New Advertisements.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Town Lots

FOR TAXES.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

WHEREAS default has been made in payment of Municipal Taxes due upon the undermentioned Lots or portions of Lots,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will sell, by order of F. G. Claudet, Esq., Stipendiary Magistrate, at

PUBLIC AUCTION

—ON—

Saturday, Dec'r 14th, 1872,

AT 12 O'CLOK, NOON,

AT THE HYACK HALL,

The following Lots or Portions of Lots:

	AM'T OF TAX.	TOTAL.
Doane, Capt.		
block 19, lot 9	$1 65	
costs and expenses	4 00	$ 5 65
Franklin, L.		
block 15, lot 1	9 00	
sub-block 5, lot 55	1 50	
costs and expenses	6 00	16 50
Reed, Geo.		
block 9, lot 10	1 50	
10, 3	1 50	
32, 9	1 35	
costs and expenses	8 00	12 35
Smith, W. B.		
block 24, lot ½13	1 32	
costs and expenses	4 00	5 32
Woods. C. T.		
block 28, lot 7	1 12½	
32, 16	1 35	
33, 17	1 35	
costs and expenaes	8 00	11 82½

☞ By payment to me of any of the above amounts, together with the costs and expenses, on or before the day of sale, the lots or portions of lots in respect of which such payment is made will be withdrawn from sale.

H. V. EDMONDS,
de1 Auctioneer.

NOTICE TO JURORS.

COMMON JURORS ARE HEREBY NOTIfied that the Court of Assize stands adjourned until **Wednesday the 11th day of December, at 10 a. m.**, until which time their attendance is not required.

A. C. ELLIOTT,
no30 High Sheriff.

FARMER'S CLUB.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the Club for the Election of Officers for the ensuing year will be held at the rooms of Drake & Jackson, Bastion street, on **Saturday the 6th proximo** at 1 o'clock, p.m.

no29 dw THOS. RUSSELL, Secty

BAVARIA BREWERY.

NOTICE.—ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO the late firm of **Lundblad & Petersen** are requested to make payment on or before the 15th December. And all parties to whom they owe money will please send in their accounts for payment to the undersigned at the Brewery.

P. PETERSEN.

All Bills unsettled by the 15th December will be put into Court for Collection.

Nov. 29, 1872. no30

NORRIS & WYLLY,

REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENTS.

Accountants and Average Adjusters.

LOANS NEGOTIATED.

Settlements Effected.....Accounts Audited.

Rents and Debts Collected.

GOVERNMENT STREET, Victoria,
30th November, 1872. no30

BYASS' PORTER,

IN QUARTS AN PINTS

For sale by

SPROAT & CO.,

SOLE AGENTS for British Columbia.

WHARF STREET, 30th Nov., 1872. no30

BASS' ALE—IN QUARTS.

TENNENT'S ALE—In QUARTS

BARCLAY'S STOUT PORTER,

In Quarts.

For sale by

SPROAT & CO.

WHARF STREET, 30th Nov. no30

Consecration of Christ Church.

ORDER OF SERVICES:

On Thursday, Dec. 5th, 1872,

THE CONSECRATION SERVICE

Will take place at 11 o'clock. The sermon will be preached by the

Right Rev. B. Wistar Morris, D. D., Bishop of Oregon.

At the Evening Service, at 7:30, the Sermon will be preached by the

Ven. William Sheldon Reece, M.A., Archdeacon of Vancouver.

ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th,

There will be Three Services, at 11, 3, and 7 o'clock. The sermon will be preached in the morning by the

Right Reverend G. Hills, D.D., Bishop of Columbia.

In the Afternoon by the

Rev. P. Jenns, Rector of St. John's.

And in the Evening by the

Very Rev. Dean Cridge.

Collections will be made at all the services in aid of the Building Fund. no20

SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD.

I, AUGUSTUS ERNEST SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD (formerly called Augustus Ern, est Siffken) of Lima, Peru, formerly of Sunesbrook Essex, do hereby publish and declare that, in deference to the wish expressed in the will of my uncle, Augustus Ernest Louis, Baron de Wiederhold, General of Brigade in the Portuguese Army and Commander-in-Chief of the Staff of the Army of Portugal, who died at Lisbon in June, 1869, and in grateful respect to his memory, I have ASSUMED the surname of DE WIEDERHOLD in addition to my own family name of SIFFKEN and intend henceforth to USE the surname of SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD in lieu of Siffken.

A. E. SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD.
VICTORIA, V.I., 28th Nov., 1872. no29

FOR SALE,

AT HENRY SAUNDERS' STORE, JOHNson Street,

Superior Fall Wheat for Seed,

Called "Tappahonaka," raised by Mr. J. Kriemler. oc31

MRS. EIXNER,

DRESSMAKER,

SOLICITS A SHARE OF PUBLIC PATRONage.

TERMS MODERATE.

Residence: Cor. Meares and Quadra sts, near the Cemetery. no12

New Advertisements.

CANADIAN CLOTHING!

—:::—

A. McLEAN & CO.

Have now received a Splendid Assortme t of

Canadian Clothing,

CONSISTING OF

TWEED SUITS, PANTS, VESTS, OVERCOATS, JACKETS, &C., &C.

We have purchased these Goods to give our Customers and the Public an opportunity of comparing Canadian Manufactured Goods, in Style, Quality and Price, with Scotch and E glish. They will be

SOLD VERY CHEAP!!

As our Stock of all kinds of Clothing is very Large.

no28

Metabolascopes, Pedemascopes, Telescopes, Stereoscopes, Harmonies, Metalphons, Concertinas, Violins, Violin Strings, Musical Boxes, Flutes, Trombones, Tambourines, Toasting Forks, Teapots, Fenders, Fireirons, Candlesticks, Cruet Stands, Glass Shades, Needle Threaders, Inkstands

NEW FANCY GOODS!

JUST RECEIVED

Ex Naworth,

AT THE

LONDON BAZAAR,

Brick Building, Cor. Government and Fort Sts.

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF

TOYS, FANCY & OTHER GOODS

On the Pacific Coast, including

Matting, Cocoa, Skin, Wool, and other Mats and Rugs, Felt Carpets.

UMBRELLA STANDS, LOOKING GLASSES, LARGE MIRRORS, LAMPS AND CHIMNIES, GLASSWARE, BASKETS,

Electro-plated Ware, Cutlery, Table & Mantle Ornaments, Parian Statuettes, Shells, Shellwork, Stationery, Books, Photographs, Chromo. Scraps, &c.

A CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF TORTOISE-SHELL, JET & OROIDE JEWELRY.

Wedding, Birthday and Christmas Presents.

A Fine Collection of Paintings, Engravings, Oleographs, Chromos, and Photographs.

Pictures Mounted and Framed. WM. JONES.

Writing Desks, Papetrees, Work Boxes, Tea Caddies, Jewel & Scent Ca., Costume Crackers, Fancy Boxes, Albums, Scrap Books, Pens, Ink & Paper, Cde Visite Frames, Picture Frames, Carved Brackets, Toilet Sets, Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, Perfumery, Carpet Bags, Ladies Bags, Dressing Cases, Combs,

VICTORIA NURSERY AND SEED ESTABLISHMENT.

—oo—

Mitchell & Johnston

Have now on Sale a very Large and Superior Stock of

FRUIT TREES,

ORNAMENTAL TREES, SHRUBS AND FLOWERING PLANTS,

Which they offer at Very Reasonable Rates.

—oo—

Also—Just received in splendid condition their annual consignment of

CHOICE DUTCH BULBS,

For which Early Orders are Solicited.

VICTORIA, V. I., Oct. 29th, 1872. oc30 2m

GREAT REDUCTION

..IN..

HORSE, CARRIAGE & BUGGY HIRE

HORSE & BUGGY:

$1 per Hour, Sundays and Holidays excepted.

FOR SALE

150 CORDS DRY PINE WOOD

J. W. WILLIAMS,

Livery & Sale Stable,

no8 Corner Johnson and Government streets.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

C. E. REDFERN,

Watchmaker and Jeweler,

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE Stock and Business of Mr. E. Watson, will Remove on Dec. 4th to larger and more convenient premises opposite the Theatre on Government staeet, lately occupied by Mr. D. Spencer where, in addition to his usual stock he will offer for sale

A Fine Assortment of Goods suitable for Xmas and New Year's Presents, to arrive by the next Steamer.

C. R. takes this opportunity of thanking his numerous customers for the kind support he has received during the past nine years, and solicits from them and from those who were formerly customers of Mr. E. Watson a continuance of the same, assuring them that it will be his constant endeavor to give satisfaction in every branch of the business,

Particular attention paid to the Repairing of Chronometers and Fine Watches.

Fairburn's "Crests of the Families of Great Britain and Ireland" for the use of those who may desire to have seals or crests engraved. no30

Wrapping Paper.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF OLD NEWSpapers for sale at THE COLONIST OFFICE

GRAPES, LEMONS, &C.

Grapes, 4 Bits pr Box.

Lemons, 6 bits pr Doz

no27 R. F. PICKETT & CO.

Choice Butter.

RECEIVED BY THE STEAMER IDAHO. 50 kegs Choice Butter, which we offer for sale CHEAP!

YOUNG & WHITE,
no27 Government street.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF THE HASTINGS SAW Mill Company and of Dickson, Campbell & Company, will be conducted in future by J. A. RAYMUR; or in his absence by EDMUND HURD, at Messrs Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s Wharf, Store street, Victoria.

J. A. RAYMUR, Agent.
Nov. 26th, 1872. ogu

WANTED.

A BUTCHER—ONE WHO UNDERSTANDS making Small Goods. For particulars apply at The Colonist Office. no26

JAMES ORAM,

Just from London, England,

PASTRY COOK, CONFECTIONER,

FANCY BREAD AND BISCUIT BAKER,

Is prepared to supply the public with MUFFINS and CRUMPETS. MEAT PIES and PATES, at their residences if required, at all times.

Wedding Breakfasts and Ball Suppers, in the best style, prepared at short notice.

JAMES ORAM,
JOHNSON STREET, between Oriental and Waddington alleys.
no26

For Sale---To Let.

TO BE LET.

HANDSOME, WELL-LIGHTED OFFICES on the second flat of the BRITISH COLONIST BUILDING. Apply to
no17 D. W. HIGGINS, on the promises.

TO LET.

THE DESIRABLE STORE ON GOVERNment street, just vacated by T. L. Fawcett & Co.

ALSO—A comfortable Dwelling house on Langley st.

For particulars apply to THOS. C. NUTTALL,
no15 Government St.

FOR SALE.

THE HANDSOME AND COMMODIOUS Cottage Resfdence recently built at the corner of Moss street and Fort street, with good bricked well; fencing and gates complete. For particulars apply to ROBERT BURNABY,
no15 Government street, Victoria.

FARM TO LET.

COLQUITZ FARM, CONTAINING 300 ACRES, situate in Victoria District, with dwelling-house and all convenient farm buildings, to be let for a term of years. Possession in April. Apply to
no14 DRAKE & JACKSON, Victoria.

TO LET.

A COMMODIOUS STORE NEXT TO NEW England Bakery. Enquire of
no3 YOUNG & WHITE, Government st.

Money to Loan.

AT LOW RATES ON FIRST-CLASS SECUrity;

Houses to Let;

Town and Country Properties for Sale or to Let;

Accounts Audited or Kept;

Rents and Debts Collected.

T. ALLSOP & CO.,
se28 Government Street near Fort

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,

Government St., near Corner of Broughton.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; to negotiating loans and transacting everything connect with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land n every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. ly14

DANCING!

MRS. MARTIN'S

DANCING ACADEMY,

VIEW STREET,

WILL OPEN ON TUESDAY & FRIDAY evenings, during the season, commencing at 8 o'clock, p.m.

Haynes' Quadrille Band will be in attendance. no26

FOR PORTLAND.

THE NORTH PACIFIC TRANSPORTAtion Company's Steamship

California,

CAPTAIN - - - - - - - JOHN HAYES,

Will leave Esquimalt for Portland direct on or about Nov. 28th.

FARE in Cabin, including Meals and Room.....$10 00
do Steerage do do Berth.... 5 00
no23 J. P. GOODHUE, Purser.

SKATES! SKATES!!

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SKATES at

DALBY & CO'S,
no16 St. Nicholas Building.

1873!

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AND

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IN GREAT VARIETY OF STYLES,

For 1873.

no15 T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

CLAMS. OYSTERS.

THE ARCADE OYSTER SALOON, KEPT by JOE LEVY, is the only place in Victoria where Shellfish are made a specialty. The Best Meal in the city can be had at this Saloon for 50 cents. Chops, Steaks and Ham and Eggs always ready.

MUSSELS. oc1 6m **CRABS.**

L. F. Baumann,

Candy Manufacturer,

Yates st. opp. Bank B. N. America.

HAVING JUST PREPARED A CHOICE assortment of fresh

Candy of all Kinds,

am prepared to supply the public by

Wholesale and Retail.

At reasonable rates.

Orders for city and country promptly filled. oc12 2m

THE DOMINION

GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANKS

WILL BE OPENED FOR THE TRANSACtion of business on MONDAY next the **2nd December**, at the following places, viz:

VICTORIA, (opp, the Scotch House. Fort street.)
NANAIMO;
NEW WESTMINSTER.

Bank Hours. 10 to 3 o'clock. Saturdays, 10 to 12 o'clock. By order,

JOHN GRAHAM,
Asst. Rec. Gen.
VICTORIA, Nov. 25th, 1872. no26

Notice of Partnership.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ENTERED into Copartnership for the purpose of carrying on the business of Hotelkeeping at the OLD STAND known as the

CLINTON HOTEL,

And would solicit a continuance of public patronage,

MRS E. SMITH,
THOS. SPELMAN.
CLINTON, Nov. 18th, 1872. no28 dw

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE Estate of the late JOSEPH L. SMITH are requested to make immediate payment. All bills remaining unpaid on the **First January, 1873**, will be placed in court for collection. And all parties having claims against the estate will please send them to the undersigned for payment. MRS. E. SMITH,
Administrator.
CLINTON, Nov. 18th, 1872. no28 dw

FOUND.

EARLY ON THURSDAY MORNING A Gentleman's Riding Saddle. The owner can have it by proving property and paying for this advertisement, on application to THOS. LEE,
Crofter's Dairy.
Nov. 28, 1872. no29

Notice to Farmers.

THE SUBSCRIBER WILL PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE for

50 tons Chevalier Barley;
50 tons Rough Barley.

J. RUEFF,
WHARF STREET, Victoria. no28

Daily British Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, DEC. 1ST, 1872.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ARRIVED.

Nov. 30—Sch Gen. Harney, Lloyd, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Nov. 30—Str Maude, Holmes, Nanaimo
Sch Matilda, Wharton, Burrard Inlet

Mainland Summary.

[From the "Herald."]

We learn that $1,000 more has been placed at the disposal of Maple Ridge for the road which is to lead from Pitt River to that settlement. The first grant was $500.

The steamer Onward arrived from Yale at 4-15 last night, with a large number of passengers, some freight and a local mail and express. Among the passengers were Mrs. Russ, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Innes, Mrs. Lord, Miss H. Clarkson, Rev. Russ, and Messrs. W. Clarkson, Hughes, Innes, Bristol, Howison, McCarthy, Thomson. The Onward will make no more trips this season.

Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen went from this city to Maple Ridge on Wednesday, to be present at the dedication of the W. M. Church. The party returned by the Onward last night. The occasion was very pleasant and successful—the attendance was large and the financial result beyond expectation.

The sale of defaulters' lots takes place on the 14th prox. We are glad to see so few advertised, and hope that nearly all will be withdrawn before the day of the sale.

City Council will hold a special meeting on Monday, at 12 noon.

Jack Frost has again been routed by rains.

Hay has advanced at Victoria to $25 per ton, and is now held by our farmers at $20 per ton on the river bank.

The old Court house and adjoining buildings have been pulled down and everything cleared away to make room for the new building.

FROM THE EAST COAST. — The steamer Sir James Douglas, Capt. Clarke, arrived from Comox, Nanaimo and way ports at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The bark Shooting Star had nearly completed loading coal at the Douglas pit, and the bark Union had commenced taking in a cargo of stone at the Newcastle Quarry. Mr. James McKay Sabiston has removed to his new and handsome hotel, to which he intends adding accommodations for a large nTmber of boarders. John Jessop, Esq., Superintendent of Education, held a meeting at Comox, which was well attended, for the purpose of education. He will also hold a meeting at Nanaimo on the same subject on Monday evening next. The Douglas had a very rough passage down, and was in sight of the Enterprise for about three hours, the contest being about an even thing. She brought down a quantity of coal for the Fisgard Lighthouse (which she will deliver on Monday morning) and the following passengers: Rev. Mr. Reynard, John Graham, Assistant Receiver-General, Mrs. Musters and child, and Messrs Duncan, Lappidge and Cridge, jr.

A MARE'S NEST. — The "Government Guardian" has just made the astounding discovery that the people of Victoria propose having established in their city a public boarding school, to be maintained out of the Provincial exchequer, at which children from the interior may be educated; and it founds an article upon what it is pleased to consider a desire on the part of the people of Victoria to monopolize all the public institutions. We have neither seen nor heard this proposition before. On the contrary, this journal, in advocating the boarding school plan, has always proceeded upon the assumption that such school or schools would be located beyond the Cascades. Our contemporary must surely be troubled with "a bee in his bonnet."

MUSIC IN SCHOOLS.—Some time since we expressed a strong belief in the beneficial influence of music in schools. It affords us pleasure to announce that an harmonium will be placed in the Collegiate School of this city on Monday next. The instrument has been purchased with money ($65) raised by the efforts of the pupils, Master Eddy Marvin having circulated a subscription list for that purpose and having been so successful as to raise the desired amount. It will be presented to the College to-morrow, when his Lordship the Bishop will be present. We understand that Vice-Principal Jones will superintend the musical department.

TRADE.—The estimated value of exports and imports for this Province for 1870 was as follows: Exports, including gold, $1,848,803; imports, $1.605,809; balance of trade in our favor, $242,994. The exports besides gold are here supplied by twenty-one articles of home produce of which the principal are furs and hides, lumber, coal, fish, wool, cranberries, &c. Here are the germs of productive manufactures, lucrative trades and of an active commerce.

CONVENTS OF THE CITY OF ROME, ITALY. Rome has 330 religious establishments, occupied by 4,663 persons, of whom 2,277 are male and 2,866 females. Beyond the city gates and scattered through the Province of Rome there are 225 convents more with 3,575 men and and women. This gives 9,238 persons out of 326,509 inhabitants, or about one-fortieth of the population.

PROGRESS.—The progress of settlement on the South Arm of the Fraser, below New Westminster, appears to be very satisfactory. The population at present numbers 67 souls:—45 male adults, 5 women, 7 white children and 10 half-breeds. The amount of improvement in dyking, building, &c., is very considerable.

PROSPECTING PARTIES. — By the last news from Omineca we gather that two parties were out prospecting, consisting respectively of five and six miners. Hughes' party was on the Deliore River; the other was on Stranger River, where Peace River Smith and LaFontaine were out last summer prospecting.

Explorations for Gold.

A few days ago we noticed the retnrn of Mr. Angus McCulloch, after a seven years' prospecting tour in the country drained into Hudson's Bay and the Arctic seas. It was mentioned that this veteran explorer had not been altogether unsuccessful in finding gold. He found himself unable, however, either to work paying diggings found, or to carry his explorations into territory believed to be still richer, owing to the absence of supplies. Mr. McCulloch proposes returning in the course of a fortnight or so for the purpose of prosecuting still further his researches on the Deliore and Francis Lake Rivers: but in order that this object may be carried into effect an outfit of several hundred dollars will be necessary, and Mr. McCulloch has conceived the idea that in view of the general benefits certain to accrue to British Columbia from the opening of a gold field in that country, it would be nothing more than right that the Provincial Government should undertake the expense of the outfit. Concurring in that idea, we respectfully commend the matter to the favorable consideration of the Government, feeling quite satisfied that any little expenditure necessary to the prosecution of this expedition will be money well employed.

ONTARIO WANTS 150,000.—It appears from official returns sent in by the various local agencies that Ontario wants, during the year 1873, in round numbers, one hundred and fifty thousand immigrants, thus:—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Toronto	47,120	11,720	58,840
Ottawa	7,540	1,930	9,470
Hamilton	22,508	3,020	25,528
Kingston	14,455	6,100	20,545
London	25,450	4,200	26,650

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise, Capt. McNeil, returned from New Westminster last evening, bringing a local mail and express, and the following passengers: Mrs. Innes, Mrs. Howes, Miss Howes, H. Holbrook, and Messrs. Franklyn, Grelly, Innes, Todd, Jones, Rowell, Holmes, Grant, Manuell, Beecher, Scott, Arnett, Byron, Mitchell.

LIVE STOCK in the Province of British Columbia, as reported in the Blue Book for 1870, was as follows: Horses, 4364; cottle, 20,845; sheep, 9964: pigs, 8529. Allowing that the increase is one fourth, or 10,000 say for the two years, there will now be over 30,000 head of horned cattle in the Province.

THE steamer Enterprise, arrived from New Westminster at 4 o'clock, followed at a cable's length by the Sir James Douglas from Nanaimo. The Enterprise brings down a small amount of freight, among which we noticed 1,500 lbs. of butter from the Sumas, consigned to Mr. Rickman.

THE DREDGER.—Steam was got up on the dredger yesterday for the first time in seven years. The engines worked satisfactorily. Next week the buckets will be got ready for service.

DRY DIGGINGS, 500 yards back from any stream, have been discovered at Omineca. They prospect largely and 12 ounces of the gold have been deposited in the Bank of British North America.

SAD BEREAVEMENT.—Mr. Smithurst, who resides on the Saanich road, lost two of his children by whooping-cough on Friday night, and is himself ill with the same complaint.

PERSONAL,—By an inexplicable blunder, Mr. Noah Shakespeare's name was associated with that of Thomas Shakespeare in the Police report yesterday. Our reporter tenders Mr. Noah Shakespeare an apology for the error.

THE Emma went round to Esquimalt yesterday morning and returned at 7 p.m. with a cargo of rope junk and running rigging from the Sparrowhawk.

FOR NANAIMO.—The Douglas will leave for Nanaimo and way ports on Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock. She will return on Thursday,

THE FUNERAL of the late George Hemmingway will take place at 1½ o'clock today.

THE ONWARD is laid up for the season—10 tons of freight still remaining behind.

THE session of the Assembly last year lasted 56 days.

Mr. B. P. GRIFFIN has been appointed Coroner for the District of Yale.

THE SKATING RINK is now in full and successful operation.

The Boys.

There come the boys! Oh, dear, the noise,
The whole house feels the racket;
Behold the knee of Harry's pants,
And weep o'er Bertie's jacket.

But never mind, if eyes keep bright,
And limbs grow straight and limber;
We'd rather lose the tree's whole bark
Than find unsound the timber.

Now hear the tops and marbles roll!
The floors. Oh, woe betide them!
And I must watch the banisters,
For I know boys who ride them!

Look well as you descend the stairs,
I often find them haunted
By ghostly toys that make a noise
Just when their noise is wanted!

The very chairs are tied in pairs,
And made to prance and caper;
What swords are whittled out of sticks!
What brave hats made of paper!

The dinner bell peals loud and well,
To tell the milkman's coming;
And then the rush of "steam-car trains"
Set all our ears a-humming.

How oft, I say, "What shall I do
To keep these children quiet?"
If I could find a good receipt,
I certainly should try it.

But what to do with these wild boys,
And all their din and clatter,
Is really quite a grave affair—
No laughing, trifling matter.

"Boys will be boys"—but not for long?
Ah, could we hear about us
This thought—how very soon our boys
Will learn to do without us!

How soon but tall and deep-voiced men
Will gravely call us "Mother,"
Or we be stretching empty hands
From this world to the other.

More gently we should chide the noise,
And when night quells the racket,
Stitch in but loving thoughts and prayers
While mending pants and jackets!

—"Christian Union."

Indemnity Again.

EDITOR COLONIST.—If it be admitted that the remuneration per diem allowed the members of the House last session is not sufficient to induce men fitted to be intrusted with the grave responsibility of managing the affairs of British Columbia to do so, the next point to consider will be, how much ought they to receive? On this point I am inclined to agree with your contemporary, that the motion passed last session by the members asked for more than the Government would be justified in giving. The basis proposed by the member for Nanaimo—eight dollars per diem to members compelled to leave home to attend the session, and five for those resident in Victoria—seems to be a fairer settlement of the difficulty. If we may take the experience of others as a guide, we need only to look across the line and find the example of Washington Territory before us. Whatever else people may charge against the Americans, no one ever dreams of accusing them of paying their public men too much. Indeed, the reverse is the uniform cry of all Englishmen; that they are paid too little, hence they are driven to make up deficiencies by dishonorable means. If, then, we follow their example, in a country in many respects similar, and our near neighbor, we surely cannot greatly err on the side of extravagance. I believe there the allowance is eight dollars per diem, and the remuneration seems satisfactory to all parties. The amount does not seem to be regarded as too high by the people of the Territory; while they appear to be able to secure the services of men having the confidence of the country.

The other question of an allowance of twenty-five cents per mile travelling expenses and a per diem allowance additional is a different matter, and does not appear so reasonable. Aside from the fare paid for his passage on stage and steamboats, a member's expenses while travelling ought not to be much more than they are while living in Victoria, consequently, the per diem allowance ought not to be higher while travelling than is paid them while attending the Session, with, of course, the fare added. Applying this rule, then, let us take Cariboo — one of the most distant constituencies—as an example. The amount allowed for expenses at the rate of twenty-five cents per mile, will be in the neighborhood of one hundred and forty-five dollars. Not having any data at hand as to the amount of the fare from Cariboo to Victoria, of course I am not in a position to say what remains over; but that amount surely ought to be sufficient to pay their fare and still leave a margin to allow them eight dollars per day while travelling. If this be the case, to make an additional allowance of eight dollars would be equivalent to giving them sixteen dollars per day while travelling, an amount out of all reason, even for a member of Parliament. Supposing, then, that the twenty-five cents per mile is sufficient to indemnify members while travelling, the only point for consideration will be the amount required to meet the additional allowance made to those members entitled to receive it. As, I believe, there are ten members of the House resident in and about Victoria, there remain fifteen who would be entitled to the increase of three dollars per day. This, for a session of fifty days, will amount to two thousand, two hundred and fifty dollars.

This amount appears such a trifle, in comparison with the advantages which may be expected to follow by granting it, that it seems inconceivable how any man of common sense, having the good of the country at heart, can oppose it. If the opposition came from some one who had done his best to prevent the government of the country from passing into the hands of the people, and on being beaten was now anxious to make it a failure, by forcing it into the hands of those least qualified to be entrusted with it, I could understand it; but when it comes from a journal which claims, par excellence, to be the people's paper, I confess, sir, it passes my comprehension. The Editor of the Standard ought to know that as a rule the men best qualified to be entrusted with the affairs of the country, and most likely to gain and carry the confidence of the country with them, are the least likely to push themselves forward. If in addition to this the country is going to compel them to bear part of the public expense out of their own pockets; we can hardly wonder if they pause and consider if it is worth while to give their services and substance to build up a country which values them so lightly.

A word or two on another point before closing. Would it not be well for our virtuous ministers, who hold up their hands in horror at the idea of giving private members of the House a reasonable remuneration, to consider their own position? Their services no doubt are very valuable; but surely three thousand dollars a year ought to satisfy men who are anxious to gain a character for being economical. Let them bring down their own overgrown salaries to a more reasonable figure, and raise the private members' pay to a standard more in accordance with common sense. What the country wants is honest and capable men in the House, willing to do their duty to the best of their ability, and for which it is prepared to pay reasonably. It is not so mean and niggardly as to want men to give their services for nothing and lose money also while doing so. A. FARMER.

NEW WINTER GOODS.—A. B. Gray has received by last steamer the first of a series of shipments of new goods selected for the present season. Attention is directed to his large stock of Winceys, French Merinos, Alpacas, Dress Stuffs, Waterproof and other Tweeds, Black Silk Mantle Velvets, Velveteens, Colored Japanese Silks, Black Silks, Shawls, Jackets, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk, Alpaca and Cotton Umbrellas, Hosiery, Gloves, Ribbons, &c., &c. Prices Right!!—Government street.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the COLONIST OFFICE, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

Dickens and his Wife.

Young Dickens will not Permit His Father's Biographer to Blur the Name of His Mother.

[Liverpool Daily Post.]

A story reaches us from London which will be read with eagerness by all who are interested—as who is not?—in the life of the late Charles Dickens. Under ordinary circumstances it would be rightly deemed beyond the ken of a public journal; but Mr. Dickens' own deliberate choice made his separation from his wife a public topic, and it would be affectation to keep out of print gossip which, though at present that of an inner circle, is sure to become very soon the common talk of literary society. The rumor is that Forster's "Life of Dickens," volume two, which the world is anxiously expecting, hangs fire. The biographer thinks that he ought to tell the story of the separation of Dickens and his wife, and of course is disposed to throw all the blame of the separation upon Mrs. Dickens. But young Dickens, who, it is said, always sided with his mother in that matter, and thinks that but scant justice was done to her by his father when the matter was made public, says that if amends be not made to her by Mr. Forster, a "plain, unvarnished tale" shall be published in All the Year Round.

How the matter will end it is impossible to foretel. Perhaps the best way would be to leave the tale untold, if young Dickens would consent to that course. At all events, one cannot but admire this young man's affection for his mother, and his chivalrous determination that, at all cost to the reputation of his father, her good name shall not be blurred. It will be remembered that Walter Savage Landor suddenly separated from his wife and never saw her again. Mr. Forster, in his biography of Landor, hurries over the business swiftly, like a skater over dangerous ice, but he manages to throw the blame rather upon Mrs. Landor than upon his hero. But having read this biography and got a pretty correct notion of his hero—his extreme irritability, his lofty notion of himself, his craving ambition for homage from everybody—we can easily imagine that the offence which his wife, who seems to have been a very quiet, amiable lady, committed was very slight. Mr. Forster so tells the story as to make the world believe that certainly Mrs. Landor was most to blame, but it is questionable whether Mr. Forster in dealing with contemporary heroes does not carry his worship to the verge of flunkyism. Aetter leave the story of Dickens and his wife untold, if the son would consent to it. But perhaps he will not; perhaps he has long felt the injustice to his mother rankling in his breast, and is now determined to have the truth published. If so, there will at least be one advantage—the revelation will put a welcome end to the vexatious disputations and improbable exclusive explanations which are always forthcoming at dinner tables and elsewhere when the name of Dickens is mentioned.

The Girdle of the Earth.

(From the New York "Observer," Nov. 7th.)

A few days ago the morning papers published a telegraphic dispatch which came direct from Melbourne, in Australia—an English city lying in latitude 37 degs. 48 mins, South of the equator, and in longitude 184 degs. 59 mines. east of Greenwich. This telegram came across the Australian Continent, under the Indian Ocean, through the Sunda Island to Hindostan; under the Arabian Sea, up the Red Sea, across the Isthmus of Suez, under the Mediterranean, across Western Europe to London, under the Atlantic Ocean to New York, whence it flashed across the American Continent to San Francisco, where it was published on the same date that it has brought from Melbourne—sixteen thousand miles distant by its route. San Francisco lies in latitude 39 degs. 47 mins. north of the equator, and in longitude 122 degs 36 mins. west of Greenwich.

This is the first telegraphic message that ever travelled so great a distande. The magnetic line on which it travelled begins and ends on remote shores of the Pacific Ocean, in Protestant countries and English-speaking communities and is a type of the enterprise of the Anglo-Saxon race.

The difference in mean time between Melbourne and San Francisco, by the present route of the telegraph line, is about fifteen hours. If the forwarding machinery were perfect and expeditious in its working, such a telegram ought to reach our Pacific Coast within a few moments after its departure from Australia, which would be, by our solar times, nearly fifteen hours before it was sent! As, if it was dispatched at six o'clock in the morning from Melbourne, it would reach San Francisco at three o'clock in the afternoon of our previous day. So slow is the sun!

And when the girdle is completed by a telegraphic cable across the Pacific Ocean, a telegram flying west from Melbourne, encircling the earth, will return to its starting point in less time than Puck's "forty minutes." Indeed, why will it not reach its origin twenty-four hours before it was written? This will be bringing the ends of the earth together in a manner that destroys all time.

AT the close of the French and German war quantities of seed-potatoes were sent from Great Britain to enable the half-ruined French farmers whose lands had been overrun by the contending armies, to produce a crop for the ensuing year. Part of the second year's produce of these seed-potatoes is now being shipped for the English market.

A Great Discovery.

Tilden's Method of Generating Illuminating Gas from Water.

Last evening at the Terre Haute House Mr. Tilden gave an exhibition of his gas machine. Quite a number of prominent citizens were present, and were deeply interested. Mr. Tilden prefaced the exhibition by a short lecture upon the subject of light, saying that for more than half a century scientists had been engaged in an unsuccessful attempt to manufacture gas from water. Many have almost succeeded, but all have failed. Yet their efforts and experiments have satisfied many scientific men that such discovery was not only possible, but that it was in the immediate future. That ere long the great bodies of water, the lakes, streams and rivuets, would become unfailing sources of light, and at such trifling expense that its bountiful supply would be within the reach of all.

After this discovery, before appearing before the public, he had thought best to submit it to the best gas men and greatest chemists of the country, and had received their unqualified approval, as he proved by many testimonials from these gentlemen. He then proceeded to exhibit his apparatus. The necessary ingredients are water, sulphuric acid and iron filings.

The machine is a simple cask with a close fitting cover. In this, upon a tripod, stands a basin of iron filings. Into this tank is poured the water and acid; the generation of gas begins at once. The top being put on, the gas, as fast as generated, passes into a pipe through a reservoir of carbon oil, at the bottom, up through a compartment filled with "excelsior"—pine shavings—to the burners. The light is very clear, steady and brilliant, and by actual experiment a two-foot burner afforded more light than a four-foot burner with coal gas.

It costs at the very outside not over one dollar and fifty cents per thousand, while the machine for lighting the largest houses can be sold for $15. It is a fixed gas, will not blow out, is non-explosive, lights instantly, is self-regulating, and automatic, and will keep forever without waste, is perfectly oderless. Description will not do it justice, it must be seen to be understood and appreciated.

A correspondent of the Delhi Gazette at Muliaon says:—"There is a perfect reign of terror in these parts at present on account of the depredations of a family of tigers that seem to be slaying men and women indiscriminately. It is said that these pests have been emboldened to commit such havoc by the villagers at the season picketing their cattle out in the open. I hear that two men and one woman, within the last week, have been killed within a few miles of this, and now cows and buffaloes are failing a prey to the man-eaters. It is to be hoped that the Government will do something to rid the country of these tigers. At present people are afraid to travel unless in gangs."

THE French, desious of retaliating on somebody for the incarceration of About, have pitched upon a poor, harmless Savoyard. He had written no incendiary books, but at the time of the annexation of Savoy to France he had chosen the Italian nationality, and while making an excursion back to his native province recently, he was seized by the gendarmes, who, forgetting the manner in which the Germans treated About, thrust him into a cell with the lower criminals, and did not permit him to inform the nearest Italian Consul until eight days had elapsed.

A MAN in Zurich, Switzerland, returned home one night recently slightly tight, and his wife made him seek his couch upon the floor. She retired, leaving a lamp burning upon the table; and shortly afterward was awakened by a terrible screaming, and saw her husband rushing round the room, the upper part of his body all in flames. He had rolled against the table and knocked the lamp off, saturating his clothing with the oil, which took fire. He was terribly burned, and died next morning.

A NEW railroad, 550 miles in length, is now being surveyed to connect the Mediterranean sea with the Persian Gulf. It is to commence at Tripoli, on the Syrian coast, passing by way of Palmyra, and crossing the Euphrates, thence traversing Mesopotamia and the Tigris, and terminating at Bagdad, where it would meet the Persian Gulf line as originally planned.

M. MITCHELL, the well-known French journalist, makes a remarkable statement in an article published in the Courier de France. On the 14th of July, 1870, at noon he met M. Paul de Cassagnac, and said "I have just left Olliver. Thanks to God. Peace is assured." M. de Cassagnac replied, "My father has just left the Emperor. War is resolved upon."

A PROSPEROUS merchant has for his motto: "Early to bed, and early to rise, never get tight, and advertise." And here is a St. Joseph new advertisement: "If you want a hoop-skirt, go to the ant, thou sluggard, and B. Weiz."

THERE is one young lady in town who ate oysters all though the month of August when she could get them, under the supposition that there was an "r" in that month. "Orgust" was the way she spelled it.

THE Marquis of Westminister has been furnishing his London house with a ceiling of Spanish mahogany, two feet thick, and elaborately carved, together with a cornice of polished ebony, three feet wide, costing a trifle of $110,000.

A statue in honor of King Robert the Bruce is to be erected on the esplanade of Stirling castle.

NOTICE.—I take great pleasure in informing Mr. E. Watson's former customers, particularly the officers of H. M. Fleet, that I have done all his watch and chronometer work for the past four years. As he has left this country I beg to solicit the patronage of his former customers. All watch and fine clock work done for him by me under one year, I guarantee. Attention paid to letter and seal engraving at moderate prices. — G. W. A. LANGE, Yates street.

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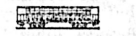
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Do on floor.....45 feet,
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To afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 26½ feet at high water springs, and to be substantial constructed to the approval of Government, upon a site to be provided by the person whose tenders may be accepted.

Further particulars as to plans, site, borings, &c, may be obtained from T. A. BULKLEY, Esq., Chief Engineer to Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders must specify the time within which the Dock will be completed, and may be accompanied by drawings and descriptions, showing exact dimensions, materials and mode of construction of proposed Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tender for Esquimalt Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his office before noon on the 15th day of November, 1872.

Persons who may consider the above guarantee to be insufficient, are at liberty to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government or upon such other financial inducements as they may suggest.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Bond from the Contractor, and two sufficient sureties, for the payment of £10,000 to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due fulfilment of the Tender which it accompanies provided it be accepted within three months from the said 15th of November.

By Command,
GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Office.
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. ap27

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS BY A NOTICE, UNDER DATE of 27th April, 1872, and signed by GEO. A. WALKEM, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, were invited to be sent in, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on or before noon of the 15th November, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time for sending in such Tenders has been and is hereby extended until noon of the 31st December next.

By Command,
B. W. PEARSE,
Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Depart't,
Victoria, 19th Sept., 1872. se22

Card of Thanks to Dr. Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr. Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong whose charges, I may also say, were reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia. WILLIAM McCORMICK.
Victoria, Aug 26th, 1871. au17

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HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. oc1



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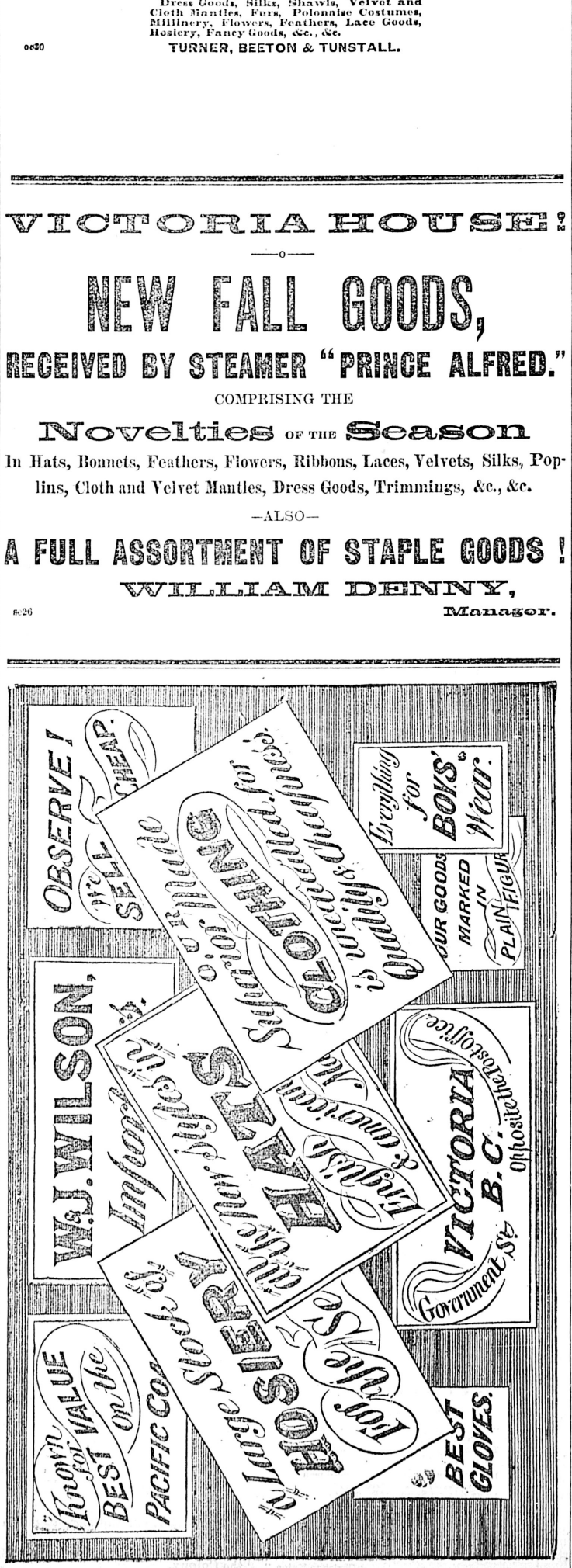
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Legislative.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AP plication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, in the ensuing session for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of making and maintaining a Railway, with all proper, necessary or convenient stations, approaches, bridges, viaducts, embankments, roads, communications and other works, commencing in or near the City of Victoria and terminating at or near Esquimalt Harbor.

And to enable the Company to make such deviations, and to stop up, alter, cross and divert roads, footpaths, streams, watercourses and works between the aforesaid places; to purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, lands, houses and other property; to levy tolls for, or in respect of, the use of the Railway or Works, and to alter existing tolls.

The bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of The Companies Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845; The Companies Clauses Act, 1863; The Companies Clauses Act, 1869; The Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863; The Vancouver Island Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, 1863.

Plans and sections showing the Railway and Road and the lands or houses in and through which they may be made, with a book of reference to such plans and a copy of this notice, as published in the Gazette, will, on or before the 30th Day of November next, be deposited for public inspection, with the Clerk of the Bench of Victoria and the Surveyor-General of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the Railway will be made, or in which any lands or houses proposed to be taken are situate, and a copy of this notice as so published will, on or before the same day, be lodged at the School-houses of the respective Districts.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
oc27 Solicitors for Promoters.

In the Legislative Assembly.

Session 1872, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Legislative Assembly during the session next ensuing the date of this notice, for leave to bring in a Bill to enable Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., the owners of the Wellington colliery, situated near Departure Bay, on the East coast of Vancouver Island, to acquire a strip of land sixty-six feet wide and extending from their mine to tee shore of Departure Bay aforesaid, for the purpose of building a Railway or Tramroad thereon, for the conveyance of coal from the mine to the place of shipment. It is also proposed that the said Bill shall enable the said Messrs, Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. to acquire a block of land containing five acres at the shore terminus of the said strip of land, for the erection of coal sheds, etc., for the purposes of the business of the said mine.

A diagram of the proposed Railway or Tramroad will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th November instant, with the Clerk of the Bench at Nanaimo, together with a copy of the British Columbian "Gazette" containing this notice.

EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor for Messrs. Dunsmuir Diggle & Co.
12th November, 1872. no20

In the Legislative Assembly.

SESSION 1872-1873.

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AP plication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly, during the next ensuing session, for leave to bring in a Bill for the purpose of enabling the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviations and to take water from Prospect Lake, Beaver Lake, Swan Lake and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all necessary works for such purpose; and to cross, break open, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets, public places, bridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams and water courses; and to purchase by compulsion or otherwise any lands, houses and other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid.

And for the purpose of enabling the said Corporation to raise money by issuing debentures and levying rates, for the payment of the principal sum, interest thereon and Sinking Fund, and of obtaining from the Provincial Government a guarantee at the rate not exceeding an amount to be therein stated on all monies to be expended in the construction of works therein referred to, or otherwise for the purpose of the Bill, as also for the purpose of levying tolls and charges for the supply of water and to make provisions for preventing the waste of water supplied and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto, as also to raise money by borrowing on mortgage.

The Bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863, and all or some of the clauses of the Public Works Act, 1872.

The plans and sections may now be seen at the Land Office, James' Bay.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed Works, and the Lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for tue purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans, and also a copy of this notice as published in the British Columbian Gazette will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th of November instant with the Clerk of the Bench, Victoria; and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and also a copy of this notice as published in the 'Gazette' will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, at the Public School House in each District.

Dated the 9th Day of November, 1872.

HENRY CLASSON COURTNEY,
Solicitor for the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, for the purpose of the undertaking, Langley street, Victoria. no12

In the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

SESSION, 1872, 1873.

City of Victoria, Water.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AP plication is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a bill to incorporate a Company to be called the City of Victoria Waterworks Company, and to enable the Company to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviations and to take water from Prospect Lake, Swan Lake and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all the necessary works for such purpose, and to cross, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets, public places, ridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams and watercourses; and to purchase, by compulsion or otherwise, any lands or other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid. Also, to raise further sums of money, and to increase their capital by the creation of shares or stock, with or without preference, priority, or guarantee on payment of interest or dividend, or with other special rights and privileges, and by borrowing on mortgage or debenture, or by all or any of such means, and to enable the Company to levy tolls, rates and charges for the supply of water and to make provisions for preventing the waste of the water supplied, and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto.

The Bill will vary and extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would interfere with its objects, and will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the Vancouver Island Land Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed works, and the lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans; and also a copy of this notice as published in the B. C. Gazette, will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, with the Clerk of the Bench in the City of Victoria, at his office at Bastion street, in the said City, and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and a book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and, also, a copy of this notice as published in the Gazette will be deposited for public inspection on or before the said 30th day of November, at the public school-houses in and for each district. DRAKE & JACKSON,
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FRAUD.

On the 27th June, 1866, MOTEEWALLAH, a Printer was convicted at the Supreme Court, Calcutta, of counterfeiting the

LABELS

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